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MARK BURDETT,

8 Plaintiff,

No. 06-00720 JCS (EDL)

9 v.

10 ORDER EXCUSING ATTENDANCE  
11 RAMON REYNOSO, et al.,  
12 Defendants

13 TO ALL PARTIES AND COUNSEL AND PARTIES OF RECORD:

14 By letter dated January 4, 2007, Deputy City Attorney Elizabeth Deeley requested Defendant  
15 Phillip Brown be excused from personally appearing at the settlement conference scheduled for January  
16 19, 2007. No opposition was filed by any party.

17 Upon consideration of the request, the Court finds good cause for excusing personal attendance.  
18 Therefore, it is hereby ORDERED that Phillip Brown be available by telephone from 9:00 a.m. Pacific  
19 Standard Time until further notice on January 19, 2007.

20 If the Court concludes that the absence of Phillip Brown is interfering with the settlement  
21 conference, the Court may continue the settlement conference and may order personal attendance by  
22 each party.

23 SO ORDERED.

24 Dated: January 11, 2007

*Elizabeth D. Laporte*  
25 ELIZABETH D. LAPORTE  
26 United States Magistrate Judge  
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